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Patent  
Our Case No. 8338-18

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	)	
	)	
Peter Ackeret	)	
	)	Examiner: J. Smith
Serial No. 09/905,429	)	
	)	Group Art Unit No. 3723
Filing Date: July 13, 2001	)	
	)	
For Multipurpose Hand-Held Implement of	)	
the Pocket Knife Type	)	

**COMMUNICATION REGARDING ALLOWED CLAIMS**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In the Notice of Allowability mailed November 8, 2004, it was indicated that Claims 505-507 were among the allowed claims. Applicant respectfully submits that this should have indicated Claims 504-506 — not Claims 505-507 — as Claim 507 was cancelled, and Claim 504 was allowed. Accordingly, the allowed claims are Claims 327-355, 357, 361-363, 366, 447-467, 501, 504-506, 522, 524, 526, 530-823, and 825-827.

✓ If there are any questions concerning this Communication, please phone the undersigned attorney at (312) 321-4719.

Dated: February 1, 2005

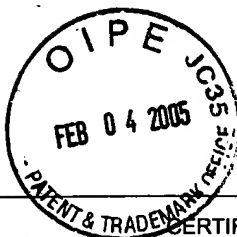
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- ☒ Part B - Fee(s) Transmittal (1 page in duplicate); Communication Regarding Allowed Claims (2 pages).  
☒ Return Receipt Postcard

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First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim					+\$180=			+\$360=	
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Respectfully submitted,

Date

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